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Title INFORMATION DISCLOSING CONTROL METHOD AND ITS SYSTEM, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM

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7.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))  
8.  Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76  
9.  37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement  Power of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee)

10.  English Translation Document (if applicable)

11.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  Copies of IDS  
Citations

12.  Preliminary Amendment

13.  White Advance Serial No. Postcard

14.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)

15.  Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27

16.  Other:

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